

Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Review Committee: Albuquerque, NM, November 16-17, 2005

Location

The Review Committee will meet on November 16-17, 2005, in the Cochiti/Taos Room, Albuquerque Convention Center, 401 Second Street NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102, telephone (505) 768-4575. Meeting sessions will begin at approximately 8:30 a.m. and end at approximately 5:00 p.m. each day.

Agenda

The agenda for the meeting includes:

- an update on the status of national implementation of the Act;
- consultation on regulations regarding the disposition of unclaimed Native American cultural items excavated or discovered on Federal or tribal lands after November 16, 1990;
- consideration of requests for recommendations regarding the disposition of culturally unidentifiable human remains;
- discussion of the Review Committee's recommendations to Congress for 2005;
- discussion of the Review Committee's procedures for meetings, findings, and disputes; and
- presentations and statements by Indian tribes, Native Hawaiian organizations, museums, Federal agencies, and the public.

Presentations

To schedule a presentation to the Review Committee during the meeting, submit a written request with an abstract of the presentation and contact information. Persons also may submit written statements for consideration by the Review Committee during the meeting. Send requests and statements to the Designated Federal Officer, NAGPRA Review Committee by U.S. Mail to the National Park Service, 1849 C Street NW (2253), Washington, DC 20240; or by commercial delivery to the National Park Service, 1201

Eye Street NW, 8th floor, Washington, DC 20005. Because increased security in the Washington, DC, area may delay delivery of U.S. Mail to Government offices, copies of mailed requests and statements should also be faxed to (202) 371-5197.

Accomodations

A block of lodging rooms has been set aside at the Double Tree Hotel, which is adjacent to the Convention Center. Reservations for rooms in this block may be made by calling (505) 247-3344 and referencing the National NAGPRA Program. Reservations must be made by October 31, 2005.